Sri B. D. JATTI.—In Hassan also the Deputy Commissioner was only in charge. He was promoted later on.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—Is the frequent disturbance of these officers from place to place not detrimental to efficient administration and progress of work?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—It is only when it is inevitable that we make the transfers. Normally we do not make such transfers. I may further explain the position. For instance, in Chickmagalur, Chitradurga, Raichur, Dharwar, Coorg and Mandya Districts in-charge arrangements were made for the reason that the Deputy Commissioners of these Districts were deputed for training in community development for five weeks. Such cases occur whenever officers are deputed for higher training.

Sri B. K. PUTTARAMIYA.—What about Bellary District?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—He is continuing.

Sri RAMAKRISHNA HEGDE.—Sir, I did not get an answer for the first part of my question as to why no Deputy Commissioner was allowed to stay in a particular district for the full term of two years. I may quote one instance. In Bangalore District Sri Shankara Rao was posted as D.C. on 5th March 1959, but he was transferred from there on 13th July 1959. He was not in charge.

Sri B. D. JATTI.—He was in charge. He was to be deputed to the Settlement Department on promotion as Settlement Officer. If the intention of the Hon'ble Member is not to promote an officer, it is very difficult to understand.

Sri RAMAKRISHNA HEGDE.—Does Government realise that on account of these frequent transfers of Deputy Commissioners, the administration of the District will suffer and the public at large will also suffer?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The impression of the Hon'ble Member is not correct.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—Does Government not think that at least important districts like Mysore and Bangalore require experienced officers as Deputy Commissioners?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—All districts require experienced officers. No district can be neglected.

Sri B. RACHAIAH.—In Chickmagalur and Shimoga Districts, may I know what special circumstances prevailed upon the Government to transfer these officers so frequently?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—There were no frequent transfers in Chickmagalur.

Sri B. RACHAIAH.—In Chickmagalur Sri Y. C. Hombalayya was posted on 12th June 1959 and transferred on 18th November 1959. Why was he transferred so soon?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Sri Siddayya who was included in the I.A.S., if he was to be confirmed, had to be put in an executive post. This change was necessary to help Sri Siddayya and so Government made this change.

Sri B. RACHAIAH.—Just to help one man you want to transfer a Scheduled Caste officer only and not others? Is this good?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—We do not make any such distinction between our officers if any postings are to be made. We consider them all alike.

Scheme for desilting of Minor Tanks.

*Q.—59. Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA (Nelamangala).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they are considering any scheme under minor irrigation for 'desilting of minor tanks';

(*b*) whether they propose to chalk out a plan of five or ten years and provide sufficient funds for desilting of tanks in Bangalore District which has mostly 95 per cent of minor tanks?

*A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Two works, *viz.*, Hebbal Tank in Bangalore North Taluk and Sulebele Chikkere in Hosakote Taluk of Bangalore District have been taken for desilting-*cum*-Reclamation as an experimental measure. Further

programme of such works depends on the result of this experiment.

Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA.—What is the scheme adopted by Government regarding desilting of minor tanks? Is there any Expert Body constituted by the Government of India with regard to desilting of tanks?

†**Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.**—There was a team appointed by the Government of India to study minor irrigation. It was headed by Sri N.V. Gadgil.

Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA.—In view of the importance of minor tanks in Bangalore District, will the Government consider taking up of all the tanks in all the taluks?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Desilting scheme is a scheme which is being examined and wherever it is found economical, Government will certainly take up those cases.

Formation of Village Communication Roads in Tiptur Taluk.

*Q.—69. **Sri K. P. REVANNASIDDAPPA** (Tiptur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the number of applications received in Tiptur Taluk requesting for the formation of village communication roads;

(*b*) whether it has come to their notice that inconvenience is caused to the public and vehicular traffic near the approach road between Kottige Halli, Karadalu on Turuvekere Road which reaches Banasandra, Turuvekere Taluk *via* Eachanur, Karadalu, Kottigehalli due to formation of ditch as a result of the breach of a tank?

A.—**Sri T. SUBRAMANYA** (Minister for Law, Labour and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Ten.

(*b*) Yes.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—(ಎ) ಭಾಗಕ್ಕೆ ಉತ್ತರವಾಗಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುವ ಹತ್ತು ರಸ್ತೆಗಳು ಯಾವುವು ?

†ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಸುಬ್ರಹ್ಮಣ್ಯ.—ಆ ವಿವರಗಳು ನನ್ನ ಹತ್ತಿರವಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ವರ್ಷ ಯಾವ ಯಾವ ರಸ್ತೆಗಳನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೀರಿ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಸುಬ್ರಹ್ಮಣ್ಯ.—ನಾವು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಬೋರ್ಡ್‌ಗಳವರು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ಜನ ಸಂಖ್ಯಾರಕ್ಕೆ ತೊಂದರೆಯಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರೆ ಇತರರಿಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟ ಹಾಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದಿಂದ ಸ್ಪೆಷಲ್ ಗ್ರಾಂಟ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟು, ಆ ರಸ್ತೆಗಳನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಸುಬ್ರಹ್ಮಣ್ಯ.—'ಇತರರಿಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟ ಹಾಗೆ' ಎಂಬುದು ನ್ಯಾಯ ಚೌಕಟ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಇದ್ದ ಹಾಗೆ ಇದೆ. ಇತರರಿಗಿಂತಲೂ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರ ತಲ್ಲೂಕಿಗೇ ಜಾಸ್ತಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ನಾನೂ ರೋಕೋಪ ಯೋಗಿ ಶಾಖೆಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳೂ ಹೋಗಿ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರು ಯಾವುದನ್ನು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೋ ಅದನ್ನು ನೋಡಿಕೊಂಡು ಬಂದು, ಆ ರಸ್ತೆಯನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿ ಬಂದಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ಇದರ ಹೈಕಿ ಸದರಿಘಟ್ಟ ಕೆರೆಗೋಡಿ ರಸ್ತೆಯನ್ನು ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ಬೋರ್ಡಿಗೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಆ ಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಚಾರ ಮಾಡಿದಾಗ ಕೇಳಿದ್ದೆವು. ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಸ್ಪೆಷಲ್ ಗ್ರಾಂಟನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾರೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಸುಬ್ರಹ್ಮಣ್ಯ.—ಈ ನಲ ಸ್ಪೆಷಲ್ ಗ್ರಾಂಟನ್ನು ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಬೋರ್ಡುಗಳಿಗೆ ಜನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಗನುಗುಣವಾಗಿ ಹಂಚಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಸದರಿಘಟ್ಟ ರಸ್ತೆಯನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳದೆ ಇದ್ದರೆ ಅದನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು ಡೆಪ್ಯುಟಿ ಕಮಿಷನರಿಗೆ ನಾವು ಸೂಚನೆಯನ್ನು ಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಈಗ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿರುವುದನ್ನು ಪೂರ್ತಿಮಾಡಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ.

Repairs to the Temple at Vighnasanthe in Tiptur Taluk.

*Q.—74. **Sri K. P. REVANNASIDDAPPA** (Tiptur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it has come to their notice that the temple at Vighnasanthe in Tiptur Taluk is in a dilapidated condition;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that the officers of the Public Works Department got some portions of the temple demolished and have not completed the work, thus allowing dust and water to fall on the image;

(*c*) whether any estimate has been prepared for this work;

(*d*) if so, with whom it is pending;

(*e*) when the estimate would be sanctioned and work completed?